Rev. Toby Keva will be away on his annual leave from 29th September to 12 October. He will be spending his holiday in Indonesia with his family.

Friendship Circle will meet on **Monday**, **6**th **October**, **2.00 pm**. in the Hall. **Word for Today:'** Madeline. **Afternoon tea:** Jeanette, Phyllis, **Activity**: Jointly attending to the Toilette Items being placed in sewn bags for the homeless. The Trading Table income goes towards the project. All folks are welcome.

Meditation Group They meet every Thursday, 9.30am for bible study and meditation, All welcome. **contact** Chris Malan:0422 425 319

Vintage Coffee Group will meet on Wednesday, 1 October 2025, Place to be announced later

Save The Date for the final Outreach Concert in the 2025 10.45am on Sunday 26 October series will be held in the Worship Centre. A Variety Concert (includes instruments other than - as well as - piano) we hope to showcase a couple of instruments we haven't enjoyed previously. More details in coming weeks. Lyn Muir 0418 923 404



Prayerbook and Offering

Rosters: Sunday 28 Sept. 2025 Sunday 5 October 2025

Minister:Rev Toby KevaRev Marie WilsonReaders:P Muller, D BoonV Moore, L MuirOrganist:Janice BarrettJanice Barrett

Stewards: B Read, A Barter, T Orr R Rowson, B Heynes; J Maddocks

Welcomer: Fran Ciupryk Phyllis Muller
Greeter: Caroline Orr Florence McRae
Morning Tea: M Barron, L Burking C Erskine, L Kenny
Audio Visual: Judy Rowson Eddie Riedel

Worship Elder: Wilma Wilson Bruce Read Steward Enquiries: Ed Kenny: Phone 0439 558 036



UnitingWorld - Standing with our Neighbours in West Papua. West Papua is home to some of the world's richest ecosystems: ancient rainforests, sprawling mangrove swamps, and coral reefs teeming with life. For generations, Indigenous communities have depended on them for food, culture, and survival. But today, climate change is disrupting that balance.

28 September 2025



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NEWSLETTER

"Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord their God" (Psalms 146:5)

Our Mission

To Participate in and Grow the Mission of God at Willetton by:

- Sharing the love of God and
- Telling people about Jesus
 - Our Vision

God's Love and Hope in Action

The letter to Timothy warns us about the peril of pursuing wealth to find contentment. The letter is quite clear on one thing: contentment cannot be found by accumulating wealth because the *love* of money, the letter proclaims, is the source of all evil (1 Tim. 6:10)! So where do we find lasting contentment in life? For the letter of Timothy, there is a great correlation between *contentment* and *godliness*. But what does *godliness* even mean? It means to be like the God whom we worship; to take the characters of God and to do what God does. It means we are to "pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness ... do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share (1 Tim. 6:11, 18 NRSV)." Only when we do all these things that we will have lasting contentment in life or, in the words of the letter to Timothy, will we take hold of the life that really is life (1 Tim. 6:19 NRSV). In other words, only by doing these that we will truly live! . (Rev. Toby Keva)



Bible Reading Today 28 September 2025
Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15, Psalm 91:1-6,14-16
1 Timothy 6:6-19, Luke 16:19-31
Bible Reading Sunday 5 October 2025
Lamentations 1:1-6, Lam 3:19-26 or Psalm 137
2 Timothy 1:1-14, Luke 17:5-10



Prayer for the week from 28 September 2025

The Resources Commission, Social Justice Commission, Uniting Church Adult Fellowship WA, Uniting Church Mission Fellowship and the International Partnerships and Development Commission, Synod Sexual Misconduct Complaints Committee, and the Committee for Discipline

Thought For the Week

"There is a powerful explanation for many of our current physical and mental difficulties and it's that the world has developed in ways our biology hasn't been able to keep up with."

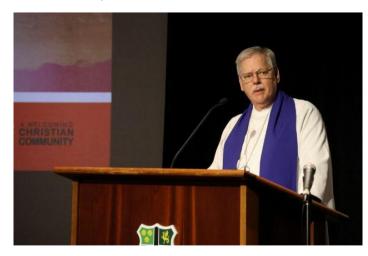
Maltese psychiatrist Dr Alexander Curmi writing on the concept of 'evolutionary mismatch'

Craft Group The craft group will meet on Friday 3 October, 10.00am to 2.30pm for great fellowship, Coffee & Tea are supplied. Just bring your own lunch. All are welcome, contact Val on 08 9457 5878.

UnitingWorld Spring Appeal

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Our UCA partner, the Evangelical Christian Church in the Land of Papua, is responding with a bold, faith-led plan: helping families grow food and earn an income in ways that also protect the lands and seas they call home.



WA Synod 2025 - Saturday 13 September Highlights

Lay and ordained members elected from our Uniting Church WA congregations and faith communities of the Presbytery of Western Australia, schools, colleges and agencies came together for fellowship, to discern, and to discuss issues of importance in the life of the Uniting Church in Australia, Western Australia, and the wider community. They gathered for the 49th Annual Meeting of the Synod of Western Australia on Saturday 13 and Sunday 14 September 2025 at Wesley College in South Perth.

"We are called to commit ourselves, under God, to be on the way together. May we meet in the Spirit of Christ!"

These were the concluding words of the Moderator's charge at the opening of the 49th Synod of Western Australia with opening worship led by Moderator Rev Dr Ian Tozer.

Special News and Notes

An important message from the Moderator

Rev Dr Andrew Williams will conclude his role as General Secretary on 31 October 2025.

The Synod Standing Committee is working on alternative arrangements.

We extend our sincere thanks to Andrew for his contributions and ministry as General Secretary of the Uniting Church in Western Australia Synod.

A more detailed announcement about arrangements after 1 November will be provided once more details are clear.

grace and peace

Rev Dr Ian Tozer

A special meeting of the Synod of WA You're invited 上

Installation of

Rev David Jackson

as Moderator

Saturday 25 October 2.00pm **Mount Pleasant Uniting Church**

All are welcome!

Join us in celebrating this special moment in the life of the Uniting Church in Western Australia



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